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Application of: Jackson and Pace

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

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It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated October 22, 2002 be extended for a period of 3 month(s) from January 22, 2003 to and including April 22, 2003.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$930.00. Please charge the required fee to

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Respectfully submitted,

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